



October 1, 2004

Kristen Nigriny
Child Care Manager
City of Sunnyvale

Dear Ms. Nigriny,

Palo Alto Community Child Care strongly supports the creation of the resource area for child care professionals both family child care providers and center based staff. It has been a pleasure working with the committee to develop the plan and we would be happy to collaborate with you to see that it becomes a reality. We can contribute to this collaboration by:

- Assisting the collaborators with researching and applying for grant funding
- Attending meetings with the collaborators
- Marketing the resource center to child care providers and parents

Family Child Care providers and Center based staff from Sunnyvale to Menlo Park currently use the Provider Connection (a provider resource center in Palo Alto) extensively. It is a place to meet, take classes, share ideas and check out curriculum materials. It would be wonderful to offer those services for providers from Sunnyvale at a location closer to where they work.

Please let us know if we can assist you in other ways.

Sincerely,

Margo Dutton
Executive Director
Palo Alto Community Child Care